

12/19/01 0915 Phone conversation w/

Danny Messmore:

did not use Emergency Permit **G4-34504**
this year. Is presently drilling well.

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November 16, 2001

D L M Farms
5781 Independence Rd
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RE: Application No(s). G4-34504

Earlier this year, the Department of Ecology issued an Emergency Drought Authorization under the above-referenced application number for the use of emergency wells in the Yakima River basins to supplement reduced deliveries during this irrigation season. In some cases new wells were approved for this purpose.

One of the provisions of the authorizations was that a flow meter must be installed, water use monitored, and the water use records submitted to the department at the end of the irrigation season. At this time, I am writing to request the metering reports on these wells. If you did not drill a well that was authorized, or did not use water that was authorized, please let us know.

My staff will be conducting end of irrigation season field visits in the near future. Your meter records and information on the completion of new wells is greatly appreciated.

If you have questions, please call Suzanne Blakeney at (509) 454-7294.

Sincerely,

Phil Crane, Unit Supervisor
Water Resources Program

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DLM FARMER
64-34504

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10/16/01

Gene Macdonald (?)

CT DANNY + LARRY MESSMORE ~
840-0962 (cell) 840-0064 (cell)

- * indicated they were going to drill the shallower well (SM) and needed to have it completed by 10/30 or their Federal matching funds would not be available.
- * Site visit with Gene Potts @ ~ 12:02 pm
Spoke to JACK Macdonald
of _____
retained by E+W / and John Carmin
to bring in cable rig —
- * Discussed possibility of well video with Larry Messmore prior to installation of pump.
- * Cable Rig + Air Rotary Rig were both at the DLM site
- * Rathen's well site was under control with flowing pressures capped off — No Rig on site

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12/21/01 CT Larry Messmore to ask about Depth of well so far.
— Larry said he would have another call us

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12/21/01 2:47 pm — CF Josh Carmin — @ about 200ft depth now

- * discussed STARTING TO TAKE SAMPLES —
 - Need each sample to be about the amt that would fit into a coffee cup (1 pound)
 - minimum is to start collecting @ 400ft and at every 20 ft thereafter
 - indicated if he could start to collect samples now and at 10ft intervals that would be great — we'll take more samples if they will provide them
 - indicated we will have staff out there next week or in contact next week regarding picking up what samples are collected

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August 23, 2001

Danny Messmore
DLM Farms
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RE: Emergency Drought Permit No. G4-34504

Earlier this year you were issued the permit cited above allowing you to drill a new well, if needed, to alleviate drought shortages during the 2001-irrigation season.

Two requirements of the permit issued are to collect basalt chip samples during well construction and to contact me as soon as the drilling schedule was established so site access and pick up of the samples can be arranged.

If you are still planning to drill a new well, please be aware that I will be out of the office between August 31st, 2001 through September 17th, 2001. During that time, you should - direct your call with the drilling schedule to Gene Potts, Well Construction Coordinator, at (509) 575-2639, or to Todd Kirk, Technical Unit Supervisor, at (509) 457-7146. Either Gene or Todd will be able to answer any questions you or your driller might have regarding construction provisions and sample collection, as well as arrange for sample pick up by Ecology staff.

From September 18th, 2001, through October 31st, 2001, when the permit expires, I will again be your contact at Ecology regarding this permit requirement. Please be aware, that authorization to drill a new well expires with the permit expiration date on October 31st, 2001. After that date, the beginning of construction on a 2001 drought well would have no authorization.

If you have any questions, you may call me at (509) 454-7887 while I am still in the office. Otherwise please direct your calls to either Gene Potts or Todd Kirk at the numbers given above.

Sincerely,

Anna Hoselton, Hydrogeologist
Water Resources Program

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August 16, 2001

To: Carroll Palmer, Yakama Nation

RE: Emergency Drought Permit Authorization re: G4-34504

Enclosed is a copy of the Department of Ecology's Emergency Drought Permit Authorization(s), which constitutes our determination and order regarding the above-referenced application(s). If you have any questions or concerns about any of this information, please call Carol Mortensen of the Department of Ecology at (509) 575-2597.

This Order may be appealed pursuant to RCW Chapter 43.21B. The person to whom this Order is issued must file an appeal with the Pollution Control Hearings Board within thirty (30) days of receipt of this Order. Send the appeal to: Pollution Control Hearings Board, P.O. Box 40903, Olympia, Washington 98504-0903. At the same time, a copy of the appeal must be sent to: Department of Ecology, Fiscal Office, P.O. Box 47615, Olympia, Washington 98504-7615. All others receiving notice of this Order must file an appeal with the Pollution Control Hearings Board within thirty (30) days of the date the Order was mailed in the same manner described above.

Sincerely,

Robert F. Barwin, Section Manager
Water Resources Program

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Enclosures: Emergency Drought Change Authorization(s)

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